

CHRISTIE'S

AUCTION 22661

Fine Printed Books and Manuscripts including Americana

14 January 2025 - 28 January 2025, New York

Auction overview

Christie's Fine Printed Books and Manuscripts including Americana will take place online from 14 to 28 January in New York. This curated sale will span over 500 years of the history of the book. It features two important private collections: Incunabula from the Collection of Eugene S. Flamm and Highlights from the Owen Gingerich Astronomical Library, as well as high points of modern literature, rare maps, printed and manuscript Americana, and more.

Incunabula from the Collection of Eugene S. Flamm reflects, in Dr Flamm's own words, 'the book as an object of admiration and as an instrument of learning', including early printed examples of encyclopedias, bibliographies, histories, medical illustration, scientific works, and more. Among the top lots are a beautifully illuminated copy of the first Italian edition of Pliny's *Historia Naturalis*; Albertus Magnus's *Philosophia pauperum*, featuring the first printed illustration of cerebral ventricles; and the first and only edition of Ludovicus's early contribution to neuroscience *Trilogium animae*, with a woodcut of the brain by Albrecht Dürer.

Highlights from the Owen Gingerich Astronomical Library trace the exciting developments of the Scientific Revolution through first and early editions of important works by Johannes Kepler, Tycho Brahe, Galileo, and many others. They include Kepler's *Mysterium cosmographicum*, his first substantial work, and *Astronomia nova*, his masterpiece; John Flamsteed's own copy of the unauthorised star catalogue published by Halley and Newton; an annotated copy of the second edition of Copernicus's *De revolutionibus orbium coelestium*; and the first complete English translation of Euclid's *Elements of Geometrie*.

Other highlights in the sale include a first edition, one of only 100 signed, of James Joyce's *Ulysses*; an inscribed first edition of T.S. Eliot's *The Waste Land*; a first edition of Vladimir Nabokov's *Lolita* inscribed with a butterfly; an inscribed copy of Martin Luther King Jr's *Where Do We Go From Here*; the first edition in English of Jean-Jacques Rousseau's *A Treatise on the Social Compact*; portions of a *Godfather* script from Marlon Brando, with his edits; and more. Historical highlights include letters written to Revolutionary War dragoon officer Anthony Walton White by Alexander Hamilton, Henry Knox, Horatio Gates, and Banastre Tarleton; and the first book printing of Lincoln's Gettysburg Address.

The auction will open for bidding on 14 January. Lots will begin to close on 28 January at 10am EST. Works will be on view during Bibliography Week from 20 to 27 January at our Rockefeller Center galleries.

Auction information

AUCTION

Online

14 Jan, 10am (Lots 1 - 235)

VIEWING

Online

20 Jan, 1pm - 5pm

21 Jan, 10am - 5pm

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LOT 1

De animalibus

Albertus Magnus, 12 January 1479

ESTIMATE

\$6,000 - \$8,000

PRICE REALIZED



LOT 2

Philosophia pauperum, and other texts

Albertus Magnus and others, 10 September 1490

ESTIMATE

\$15,000 - \$20,000

PRICE REALIZED

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	LOT 3 Philosophia pauperum, and other texts Albertus Magnus, and others, 31 August 1496	ESTIMATE \$6,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 4 Chirurgia Petrus de Argellata, 12 September 1499	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 5 De animalibus Aristotle, 18 November 1492	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 6 De civitate dei Aurelius Augustinus, 2 October 1475	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$15,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 7 Catholicon Johannes Balbus, 21 August 1486	ESTIMATE \$5,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 8 De proprietatibus rerum Bartholomaeus Anglicus, [c1479–1480]	ESTIMATE \$30,000 - \$40,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 9 De proprietatibus rerum Bartholomaeus Anglicus, 30 May 1483	ESTIMATE \$6,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED

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	LOT 10 De proprietatibus rerum Bartholomaeus Anglicus, 24 December 1485	ESTIMATE \$70,000 - \$100,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 11 Consilia medica Baverius de Baveriis, 5 November 1489	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 12 Practica, seu Liliū medicinae Bernard de Gordonio, 1498	ESTIMATE \$2,000 - \$3,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 13 Declamatio philosophi, medici, oratoris – De optimo statu et principe Philippus Beroaldus, 13 December 1497	ESTIMATE \$2,500 - \$3,500 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 14 De casibus virorum illustrium, in French: De la Ruine des Nobles hommes et... Giovanni Boccaccio, 1494	ESTIMATE \$30,000 - \$50,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 15 Stultifera navis Sebastian Brant, 1497	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$15,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 16 Stultifera navis Sebastian Brant, 1 June 1497	ESTIMATE \$6,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____

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	LOT 17 Chirurgia Hieronymus Brunschwig, December 1497	ESTIMATE \$40,000 - \$60,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 18 De medicina A. Cornelius Celsus, 6 May 1497	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 19 Ars grammatica, and other texts Diomedes, [c.1476]	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$15,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 20 Aggregator, sive De medicinis simplicibus Jacobus de Dondis, [c.1475-80]	ESTIMATE \$80,000 - \$120,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 21 Historia ecclesiastica Eusebius Caesariensis, 15 May 1476	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 22 De evangelica praeparatione Eusebius Caesariensis, 12 January 1480	ESTIMATE \$5,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 23 Chronicon Eusebius Caesariensis, 13 September 1483	ESTIMATE \$4,000 - \$6,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____

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	LOT 24 De vita libri tres (De triplici vita) Marsilius Ficinus, c.1496–97	ESTIMATE \$4,000 - \$6,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 25 Corona florida medicinae, sive De conservatione sanitates Antonius Gazius, 20 June 1491	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$15,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 26 Chirurgia, and other texts Guido de Cauliaco, 23 December 1499	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$15,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 27 Vocabularius Bibliae Henricus de Hassia [Guillelmus Brito], c.1476	ESTIMATE \$7,000 - \$10,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 28 Historiae Herodotus, 8 March [after 30 March] 1494	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 29 Consilia ad diversas aegritudines Hugo Senensis, 3 October 1482	ESTIMATE \$1,800 - \$2,500 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 30 Poeticon astronomicon Gaius Julius Hyginus, 14 October 1482	ESTIMATE \$20,000 - \$30,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____

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	LOT 31 Etymologiae Isidorus Hispalensis, [c.1473]	ESTIMATE \$50,000 - \$70,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 32 Supplementum chronicarum Jacobus Philippus de Bergamo, 23 August 1483	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$15,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 33 Supplementum chronicarum Jacobus Philippus de Bergamo, 1 December 1485	ESTIMATE \$5,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 34 Supplementum chronicarum Jacobus Philippus de Bergamo, 15 December 1486	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 35 Johannes de Gaddesden and Bernardus de Gordonio Rosa anglica practica medicinae, 24 January 1492; and De urinis et de pulsibus,	ESTIMATE \$20,000 - \$30,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 36 Institutiones, with commentary by Franciscus Accursius Justinianus, 23 May 1476	ESTIMATE \$20,000 - \$30,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 37 Fasciculus medicinae, and other texts Johannes de Ketham and others, 28 March 1500	ESTIMATE \$30,000 - \$40,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____

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	LOT 38 Trilogium animae Ludovicus Pruthenus, 6 March 1498	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 39 Sophologium Jacobus Magni, c.1470	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 40 Regimen sanitatis Magninus Mediolanensis, 5 March 1483/84.	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 41 De priscorum proprietate verborum Junianus Maius, 1477	ESTIMATE \$5,000 - \$7,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 42 Quadragesimale de filio prodigo Johannes Meder, 1497	ESTIMATE \$5,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 43 Anatomia Mundinus, [c.1493]	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 44 Consilia medica Bartholomaeus de Montagnana, 2 August 1497	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$15,000 PRICE REALIZED

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	LOT 45 Vocabularius Dionysius Nestor, 1496	ESTIMATE \$3,000 - \$5,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 46 Vitae pontificum Bartholomaeus Platina, 11 June 1479	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 47 Historia naturalis Pliny the Elder, 1472	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$15,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 48 Historia naturalis, in Italian Pliny the Elder, 1476	ESTIMATE \$100,000 - \$150,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 49 Historia Florentina Poggius Florentinus, 8 March 1476	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 50 De sermonum proprietate, sive Opus de universo Rabanus Maurus, c.1473	ESTIMATE \$60,000 - \$80,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 51 Speculum vitae humanae Rodericus Zamorensis, 11 January 1471	ESTIMATE \$30,000 - \$40,000 PRICE REALIZED

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	LOT 52 Speculum vitae humanae Rodericus Zamorensis, not after 1472	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 53 Fasciculus temporum Werner Rolewinck, 21 December 1481	ESTIMATE \$2,500 - \$3,500 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 54 Sphaera mundi, and other texts Johannes de Sacro Bosco and others, 6 July 1482	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$15,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 55 Summa conservationis et curationis. Chirurgia Guglielmo da Saliceto, 8 May 1490	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$15,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 56 Practica medicinae, sive De aegritudinibus Michael Savonarola, 10 May 1486	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 57 Nuremberg Chronicle Hartmann Schedel, 12 July 1493	ESTIMATE \$25,000 - \$35,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 58 De scriptoribus ecclesiasticis Johannes Trithemius, 1494	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____

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	LOT 59 Catalogus illustrium virorum Johannes Trithemius, [after 1495]	ESTIMATE \$20,000 - \$30,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 60 Practica, quae alias Philonium dicitur – Introductorium ad practicam medicinae... Valascus de Tarenta and Johannes de Tornamira, 10 March 1500/1 – Jacobus de	ESTIMATE \$2,000 - \$3,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 61 De inventoribus rerum Polydorus Vergilius, 31 August 1499	ESTIMATE \$5,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 62 Vocabularius Günther Zainer, not after 1474	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 63 A BRASS ASTROLABE IRAN OR INDIA, 19TH CENTURY OR LATER 143mm high overall; 110mm diameter	ESTIMATE \$4,000 - \$6,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 64 Tabulae astronomicae Alphonsus X, 1483	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$25,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 65 Tabulae astronomicae Alphonsus X, 1492	ESTIMATE \$5,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____

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	LOT 66 Instrumentum primi mobilis Petrus Apianus, 1534	ESTIMATE \$12,000 - \$18,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 67 Cosmographia [and] Ephemerides Peter Apian [and] Georg Rheticus, 1550	ESTIMATE \$20,000 - \$40,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 68 [At-Taqwim sana 609] sive, Ephemerides Persarum Matthias Beck, 1695–96	ESTIMATE \$4,000 - \$6,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 69 Epistolarum astronomicarum libri Tycho Brahe, 1596	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 70 Astronomiae instauratae mechanica Tycho Brahe, 1602	ESTIMATE \$18,000 - \$25,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 71 Epistolarum astronomicarum [and] De mundi aetherei Tycho Brahe, 1603 & 1610	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 72 Astronomiae instauratae progymnasmata Tycho Brahe, 1610	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$15,000 PRICE REALIZED

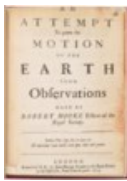
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	LOT 73 Tycho Brahe's Uraniborg Joan Blaeu, 1662	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 74 Historia Coelestis Tycho Brahe, 1668	ESTIMATE \$12,000 - \$18,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 75 Ephemerides, the Norman copy Gian Domenico Cassini, 1668	ESTIMATE \$12,000 - \$18,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 76 De revolutionibus orbium coelestium Nicolaus Copernicus, 1566	ESTIMATE \$60,000 - \$80,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 77 Two Copernican texts Copernicus, Müller, and Baranzano, 1617	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$25,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 78 Alae seu scalae mathematicae Thomas Digges, 1573	ESTIMATE \$12,000 - \$18,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 79 A Perfit Description of the Celestiall Orbes Thomas Digges, 1592	ESTIMATE \$20,000 - \$30,000 PRICE REALIZED

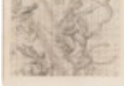
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	LOT 80 The Elements of Geometrie Euclid, 1570	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 81 Stellarum Fixarum Catalogus Britannicus John Flamsteed, 1712-1716	ESTIMATE \$30,000 - \$50,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 82 Speculum Uranicum Giovanni Paolo Gallucci, 1593	ESTIMATE \$6,000 - \$9,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 83 Istoria e dimostrazioni intorno alle macchie solari e loro accidenti Galileo Galilei, 1613	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 84 Dialogo Galileo Galilei, 1632	ESTIMATE \$30,000 - \$50,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 85 Systema cosmicum Galileo Galilei, 1635	ESTIMATE \$7,000 - \$10,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 86 Primus[-Tertius] tractatus Johannes Garcaeus, 1563-1565	ESTIMATE \$6,000 - \$9,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____

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	LOT 87 Astronomica John Greaves, 1652	ESTIMATE \$5,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 88 Mercurius Johannes Hevelius, 1662	ESTIMATE \$30,000 - \$50,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 89 Medicaeorum ephemerides Joannes Baptista Odierna, 1656	ESTIMATE \$3,000 - \$5,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 90 An Attempt to Prove the Motion of the Earth Robert Hooke, 1674	ESTIMATE \$3,000 - \$5,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 91 Systema Saturnium Christiaan Huygens, 1659	ESTIMATE \$25,000 - \$45,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 92 The Celestial Worlds Discover'd Christiaan Huygens, 1698	ESTIMATE \$7,000 - \$10,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 93 Sphaera mundi – Theoricae novae planetarum Johannes de Sacro Bosco; Georg Peuerbach, 23 October 1499	ESTIMATE \$7,000 - \$10,000 PRICE REALIZED

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	LOT 94 Le cuer de philozophie Johannes de Sacro Bosco, [c.1504]	ESTIMATE \$5,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 95 Introductorium compendiosum in tractatum spere Johannes Glogoviensis, 28 April 1506	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 96 Introductorium compendiosum in tractatum spere Johannes Glogoviensis, 1513	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 97 Mysterium cosmographicum Johannes Kepler, 1596	ESTIMATE \$80,000 - \$120,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 98 Ad Vitellionem paralipomena, quibus astronomiae pars optica traditur Johannes Kepler, 1604	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 99 De stella nova in pede serpentarii Johannes Kepler, 1606	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$15,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 100 Astronomia nova Johannes Kepler, 1609	ESTIMATE \$120,000 - \$180,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____

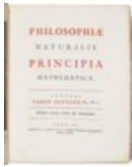
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	LOT 101 Phaenomenon singulare seu Mercurius in Sole Johannes Kepler, 1609	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 102 Dissertatio com nuncio sidereo nuper ad mortales misso Galilaeo Galilaeo Johannes Kepler, 1611	ESTIMATE \$7,000 - \$10,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 103 Narratio de observatis a se quatuor louis satellitibus erroribus Johannes Kepler, 1611	ESTIMATE \$5,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 104 Nova Stereometria Johannes Kepler, 1621-1622	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$25,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 105 Epitomes astronomiae Copernicanae Johannes Kepler, 1620-1621	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 106 Harmonices mundi Johannes Kepler, 1619	ESTIMATE \$20,000 - \$40,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 107 Mysterium cosmographicum, and Apologia for Harmonices mundi Johannes Kepler, 1621	ESTIMATE \$18,000 - \$25,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____

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	LOT 108 Tabulae Rudolphinae Johannes Kepler, 1627	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$25,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 109 Admonitio ad astronomos Kepler and Bartsch, 1630	ESTIMATE \$6,000 - \$9,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 110 Somnium, sive astronomia Lunaris Johannes Kepler, 1630	ESTIMATE \$12,000 - \$22,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 111 Compilatio de astrorum scientia Leopoldus, 9 January 1489	ESTIMATE \$6,000 - \$9,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 112 Epitome astronomiae Michael Maestlin, 1588	ESTIMATE \$2,000 - \$3,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 113 Ephemerides novissimae motuum coelestium Cornelio Malvasia, 1662	ESTIMATE \$20,000 - \$40,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 114 Principia Isaac Newton, 1713	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____

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	LOT 115 Principia Isaac Newton, 1726	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 116 Tabulae eclipsium and Tabula primi mobilis Georg Peurbach and Johannes Regiomontanus, 1514	ESTIMATE \$6,000 - \$9,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 117 La théorie des cieľz Georg Peurbach and Oronce Finé, 1528	ESTIMATE \$6,000 - \$9,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 118 Theoricae novae planetarum Georg Peurbach, 1542	ESTIMATE \$3,000 - \$5,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 119 Ptolemy's Almagest Venice, 1515	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 120 Ptolemy's Almagest Venice, 1528	ESTIMATE \$20,000 - \$30,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 121 Thomas Digges's copy of Ptolemy's Analemma First edition, 1562	ESTIMATE \$2,000 - \$3,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____

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	LOT 122 The Castle of Knowledge Robert Recorde, 1556	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 123 Ephemerides, 1482–1506 Regiomontanus, 1481	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$25,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 124 Ephemerides 1494–1506 Regiomontanus, 1494	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 125 Epitome in Cl. Ptolemaei magnam compositionem Regiomontanus and Georg Peurbach, 1543	ESTIMATE \$5,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 126 De triangulis omnimodis Regiomontanus, 1533	ESTIMATE \$7,000 - \$10,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 127 Theoria nova coelestium meteoron Helisäus Röslin, 1578	ESTIMATE \$5,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 128 Rosa Ursina Christoph Scheiner, 1626-1630	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$15,000 PRICE REALIZED

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LOT 129
Opera Mathematica
Johannes Schöner, 1551

ESTIMATE
\$18,000 - \$25,000

PRICE REALIZED



LOT 130
Commentaria in novas theoricis planetarum
Georgii Purbachii
Erasmus Oswald Schreckenfuchs, 1556

ESTIMATE
\$7,000 - \$10,000

PRICE REALIZED



LOT 131
Mechanism of the Heavens, inscribed
Mary Somerville, 1831

ESTIMATE
\$1,500 - \$2,500

PRICE REALIZED



LOT 132
Elucidatio fabricae ususque astrolabii
Johannes Stoeffler, 1512/13

ESTIMATE
\$5,000 - \$8,000

PRICE REALIZED



LOT 133
Epochae celebriores, astronomis
Uluğ Beg, Abū alFid ā', 1650

ESTIMATE
\$5,000 - \$8,000

PRICE REALIZED



LOT 134
Fundamentum astronomicum
Nicolaus Reimers Ursus, 1588

ESTIMATE
\$4,000 - \$6,000

PRICE REALIZED



LOT 135
Astronomical tables for 1349-1386
Walter of Elveden and others

ESTIMATE
\$10,000 - \$15,000

PRICE REALIZED

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**LOT 136**

Almanach perpetuum; [With:] Cosmographicus
Abraham Zacuto, [15 July 1502]; and Petrus Apianus,
February 1529

ESTIMATE

\$15,000 - \$25,000

PRICE REALIZED**LOT 137**

The Dressing of a Knight
The Spanish Forger (fl.1890s-1920s)

ESTIMATE

\$5,000 - \$8,000

PRICE REALIZED**LOT 138**

Courtiers arriving on a boat
The Spanish Forger (fl.1890s-1920s)

ESTIMATE

\$5,000 - \$8,000

PRICE REALIZED**LOT 139**

St Claude, from the Hours of Jean Lallemant the
Elder
Jean Pichore (fl.1490-1521)

ESTIMATE

\$4,000 - \$6,000

PRICE REALIZED

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**LOT 140**

The Last Communion and Death of St Jerome

Follower of the Master of Claude de France

A striking scene depicting the Last Communion and Death of St Jerome, identical to the scene found in Anne de France's copy of the text at the BnF, illuminated by a follower of the Master of Claude de France.

ESTIMATE

\$4,000 - \$6,000

PRICE REALIZED

c.330 x 241mm, by sight; 406 x 327mm, frame. The full-page miniature very likely from a *Life of St Jerome* (see *Illumination* below), depicting St Jerome receiving his last communion, the reverse blank. Framed.

Provenance:

(1) Edmond F. Bonaventure (d.1918), bibliophile and rare book dealer: his sale, New York, American Art Association, 8-9 May 1936, lot 377.

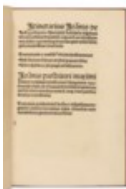
(2) Collection of Kate and George Elderkin and by descent to present owner.

Illumination:

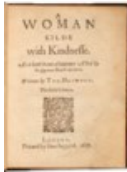
The composition is almost identical to f.97v of the *Trés sainte vie, mort et miracles du glorieux saint Hierosme*, Paris, BnF, Français 418, attributed to a follower or imitator of the Master of Claude de France by Roger Wieck (Wieck, *Miracles in Miniature. The Art of the Master of Claude de France*, exhib. cat., 2014, pp.12 and 82). The Paris manuscript was by commissioned by Anne de France. Illuminated manuscripts of the life, death and miracles of St Jerome were popular at the turn of the 16th century: we know that Louise de Savoie owned a copy illuminated in Paris by Jean Pichore (Paris, BnF, Français 421), while another, illuminated by Étienne Colaud, is now at Brigham Young University (Provo, BYU, Special collections, Harold B. Lee Library, ms. Quarto 091 H 532).

The Master of Claude de France, named after two manuscripts he painted for the queen of France, wife of François I – the Prayerbook (New York, Morgan Library MS M.1166) and Book of Hours (Ramsen, Antiquariat Bibernmühle) – and active in the early decades of the 16th century. He worked with an unsurpassed subtlety and delicacy of handling and colour and his miniatures combine a sophisticated naturalism with charm and immediate appeal. Some of the compositions strongly recall Jean Bourdichon, with whom the Master has been thought to have trained. The red *chapelet* hanging from the architectural frame of the present miniature is a feature used by the Claude Master also found in Books of Hours in San Marino, Huntington Library, MS HM 48 (see f.7) and Paris, Bibliothèque de l'Arsenal, ms.291 (see f.73v). There have been a number of attributions to the Master since the initial identification of his hand: for up-to-date discussions of his development, oeuvre and bibliography see: R. Wieck, *Fit for a Queen: The Art of the Master of Claude de France*, 2014, and E. König, *The Book of Hours of Claude de France*, 2012.

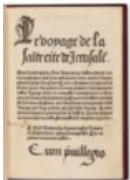
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	LOT 141 Civitas Iherusalem Bernhard von Breydenbach, 24 May 1488	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 142 Le grant voyage de Hierusalem Bernhard von Breydenbach, 1522	ESTIMATE \$6,000 - \$9,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 143 Itinerarium per diversas mundi partes Johannes de Hesse, not before 10 April 1497	ESTIMATE \$6,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 144 Der Swangern Frawen und Hebammen Rosengarten Eucharius Rösslin, 1518	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$15,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 145 Compendiosa totius Anatomie delineatio Thomas Geminus, 1545	ESTIMATE \$25,000 - \$40,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 146 The Travels of Benjamin of Tudela Printed by Abraham Usque, 1555	ESTIMATE \$20,000 - \$30,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 147 Cosmographie de Levant André Thévet, 1556	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED

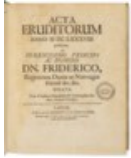
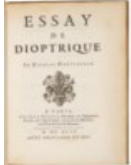
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	LOT 148 La historia del mondo nuovo Girolamo Benzoni, 1565	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 149 Discours admirables, de la nature des eaux et fontaines, tant naturelles... Bernard Palissy, 1580	ESTIMATE \$12,000 - \$18,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 150 L'antichissima citta di Gierusalemme After Christiaan van Adrichem, c.1603	ESTIMATE \$5,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 151 A Woman Kilde of Kindnesse Thomas Heywood, 1617	ESTIMATE \$4,000 - \$6,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 152 De La Grossesse et accouchement des femmes Jacques and Charles Guillemeau, 1621	ESTIMATE \$3,000 - \$5,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 153 The Essayes, Doheny copy Francis Bacon, 1625	ESTIMATE \$3,000 - \$5,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 154 Directorium generale uranometricum in quo trigonometriae logarithmicae... Buonaventura Cavalieri, 1632	ESTIMATE \$2,500 - \$3,500 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____

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	LOT 155 A rare album of 85 original drawings Giovanni Angelo Canini, before 1666	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 156 A Declaration of the Sad and Great Persecution and Martyrdom of the People of... Edward Burrough, 1661	ESTIMATE \$3,000 - \$5,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 157 Le voyage de la sainte cite de Jerusalem 16 April 1517	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 158 Saggi di naturali esperienze fatte nell' Accademia del Cimento Lorenzo Magalotti, 1666	ESTIMATE \$3,000 - \$5,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 159 First printing of Fermat's Last Theorem in Diophantus's Arithmeticon libri sex, 1670	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$15,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 160 Divi Britannici Sir Winston Churchill, 1675	ESTIMATE \$7,000 - \$9,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 161 Theatrum fungorum Franz van Sterbeeck, 1675	ESTIMATE \$5,000 - \$7,000 PRICE REALIZED

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	LOT 162 Mechanicorum libri octo Paolo Casati, 1684	ESTIMATE \$500 - \$1,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 163 Neurographia universalis Raymond Vieussens, 1685	ESTIMATE \$3,000 - \$5,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 164 Important contemporary review of Newton's Principia Christoph Pfautz, 1688	ESTIMATE \$1,200 - \$1,800 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 165 Essay de Dioptrique Nicolas Hartsoeker, 1694	ESTIMATE \$2,500 - \$3,500 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 166 Travels and Voyages John Mocquet, 1698	ESTIMATE \$4,000 - \$6,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 167 Atlas Historique Henri Abraham Châtelain, 1718-1720	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$20,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 168 Uranies Noricae Johann Philipp von Wurzelbaur, 1719	ESTIMATE \$1,500 - \$2,500 PRICE REALIZED

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	LOT 169 Onomasticum Veteris Testamenti Johann Simonis, 1741	ESTIMATE \$5,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 170 Index testarum conchyliorum Niccolo Gualtieri, 1742	ESTIMATE \$5,000 - \$7,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 171 A Treatise on the Social Compact Jean-Jacques Rousseau, 1764	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 172 Nine tracts on experiments in electricity, the Macclesfield copy DESAGULIERS, John Theophilus, et al, 1742-48	ESTIMATE \$2,500 - \$3,500 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 173 Expressing hope for \"fresh Laurels to decorate the Temple of Freedom.\" Edward Rutledge (1749-1800)	ESTIMATE \$2,000 - \$3,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 174 Seeking dragoons on the lines outside New York Banastre Tarleton, 15 September 1779	ESTIMATE \$5,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 175 Raising and supplying a new Southern army Horatio Gates, 11 July 1780	ESTIMATE \$2,000 - \$3,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____

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	LOT 176 Raising dragoons before the siege of Yorktown Marquis de Lafayette, 27 July 1781	ESTIMATE \$5,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 177 Predicting glory in Georgia and the lower country Anthony Wayne, 23 December 1781	ESTIMATE \$4,000 - \$6,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 178 Endorsing the cavalry appointment of a fallen officer's son Peter Muhlenberg, 14 August 1782	ESTIMATE \$2,000 - \$3,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 179 Ensuring loyal turnout for Washington's inauguration Alexander Hamilton, 29 April 1789	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 180 Appealing on behalf of a Continental Army officer for reimbursement Henry Knox, 14 February 1791	ESTIMATE \$2,000 - \$3,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 181 Geordie, a ballad Robert Burns, 1790s	ESTIMATE \$20,000 - \$30,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____
	LOT 182 Proclamation of Thanksgiving at the end of the Whiskey Rebellion George Washington, 1795	ESTIMATE \$6,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED _____ _____

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LOT 183
The notorious \"Reynolds Pamphlet\"
Alexander Hamilton, 1797

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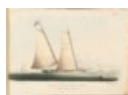
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LOT 184
A New View of Society
Robert Owen, 1813

ESTIMATE
\$25,000 - \$35,000

PRICE REALIZED



LOT 185
Celebrated Sailing Vessels
John Rogers, 1825

ESTIMATE
\$3,000 - \$5,000

PRICE REALIZED



LOT 186
A rare autograph letter signed
Pierre Toussaint, 18 December 1828

ESTIMATE
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LOT 187
The Pomological Magazine
John Lindley, 1828-1830

ESTIMATE
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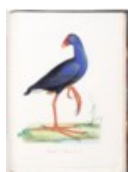
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LOT 188
The Book of Mormon
Joseph Smith, 1830

ESTIMATE
\$15,000 - \$25,000

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LOT 189
Iconografia della Fauna Italica, the Bradley Martin copy
Charles Lucien Bonaparte, 1832-1841

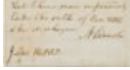
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	LOT 190 Algebra Nikolai Ivanovich Lobachevsky, 1834	ESTIMATE \$7,000 - \$9,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 191 Novye nachala geometrii s polnoi teoriei parallelnykh Nikolai Lobachevsky, 1834-1837	ESTIMATE \$7,000 - \$9,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 192 Three works on imaginary geometry Nikolai Lobachevsky, 1835-1836, 1856	ESTIMATE \$7,000 - \$9,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 193 Narrative of the Surveying Voyages of His Majesty's Ships Adventure and Beagle Charles Darwin, et al., 1839	ESTIMATE \$25,000 - \$35,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 194 Chasing debts owed to his law partner, Stephan T. Logan Abraham Lincoln, ca. 1842	ESTIMATE \$4,000 - \$6,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 195 Two letters signed as Secretary of State James Buchanan, 19 August 1845	ESTIMATE \$1,000 - \$1,500 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 196 Piazza Tales, the Goelet-Groves copy Herman Melville, 1856	ESTIMATE \$2,000 - \$3,000 PRICE REALIZED

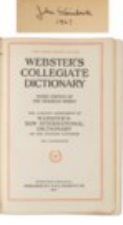
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	LOT 197 Le Pays d'Israel Carol Wilhelm Meredith van de Velde, 1857	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$15,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 198 Representing the Illinois Secretary of State Abraham Lincoln, January Term 1858	ESTIMATE \$7,000 - \$10,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 199 Apologizing for \"apparent rudeness\" to his Secretary of the Interior Abraham Lincoln, 17 June 1861	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 200 Submitting an endorsement to the War Department Abraham Lincoln, 21 July 1862	ESTIMATE \$2,000 - \$3,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 201 Pardoning a deserter from Fort Delaware Abraham Lincoln, 1 April 1864	ESTIMATE \$3,000 - \$5,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 202 Pardoning Confederate troops Abraham Lincoln, 16 January 1865	ESTIMATE \$3,000 - \$5,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 203 The first printing of the Gettysburg Address in a bound book Abraham Lincoln, 1863	ESTIMATE \$10,000 - \$15,000 PRICE REALIZED

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	LOT 204 Illustrations of the Manners, Customs, and Condition of the North American... George Catlin, 1866	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000
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	LOT 205 Rare broadside Walt Whitman, 1872	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000
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	LOT 206 Two photo albums of Palestine and Syria Maison Bonfils, c.1896	ESTIMATE \$2,000 - \$4,000
		PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 207 Catlin's North American Indian Portfolio Chatto & Windus, 1875	ESTIMATE \$70,000 - \$90,000
		PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 208 Microphotography Conrad Palm, c.1875	ESTIMATE \$3,000 - \$5,000
		PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 209 The Brothers Karamazov Fyodor Dostoevsky, 1881	ESTIMATE \$15,000 - \$25,000
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	LOT 210 Tales of Melpomene Anton Chekhov, 1884	ESTIMATE \$12,000 - \$18,000
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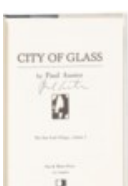
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	LOT 211 A self-winding stock ticker Thomas Edison, c. 1900	ESTIMATE \$6,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 212 An envelope addressed to Felice Bauer Franz Kafka, c. 15 May 1913	ESTIMATE \$6,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 213 Ulysses, one of 100, signed James Joyce, 1922	ESTIMATE \$100,000 - \$150,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 214 The Waste Land, inscribed T.S. Eliot, 1922	ESTIMATE \$60,000 - \$90,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 215 John Steinbeck's Dictionary and Thesaurus Two volumes, 1927	ESTIMATE \$6,000 - \$9,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 218 \"Disintegration of Uranium by Neutrons: A New Type of Nuclear Reaction\" Lise Meitner and Otto Robert Frisch, 1939	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 219 A magnificent signed photograph by Philippe Halsman Albert Einstein, 1942	ESTIMATE \$7,000 - \$10,000 PRICE REALIZED

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	LOT 221 A letter of reference for a member of the Manhattan Project J. Robert Oppenheimer, 1 October 1945	ESTIMATE \$6,000 - \$8,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 222 The only color image of the Trinity Test Jack Aeby, 16 July 1945	ESTIMATE \$7,000 - \$10,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 224 Out of My Later Years Inscribed by Albert Einstein to Estella Katzenellenbogen, 1950	ESTIMATE \$4,000 - \$6,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 225 The Catcher in the Rye J.D. Salinger, 1951	ESTIMATE \$20,000 - \$30,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 226 Lolita, inscribed to William James, Jr. Vladimir Nabokov, 1955	ESTIMATE \$80,000 - \$120,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 227 Let Us Compare Mythologies, inscribed Leonard Cohen, 1956	ESTIMATE \$7,000 - \$10,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 228 Singularities and the geometry of space-time - Charles Misner's copy Stephen Hawking. 13 December 1966	ESTIMATE \$40,000 - \$60,000 PRICE REALIZED

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	LOT 229 Where Do We Go from Here: Chaos or Community? Martin Luther King, Jr., 1967	ESTIMATE \$4,000 - \$6,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 230 Script edits for <i>The Godfather</i> Marlon Brando, 1971	ESTIMATE \$20,000 - \$30,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 231 \"Joey\" Bob Dylan & Jacques Levy, 1975	ESTIMATE \$12,000 - \$18,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 232 Three first editions, two signed J.M. Coetzee, 1983-1999	ESTIMATE \$800 - \$1,200 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 233 Blood Meridian, inscribed Cormac McCarthy, 1985	ESTIMATE \$8,000 - \$12,000 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 234 The New York Trilogy, signed Paul Auster, 1985-86	ESTIMATE \$800 - \$1,200 PRICE REALIZED
	LOT 235 The Border Trilogy, signed Cormac McCarthy, 1992-98	ESTIMATE \$800 - \$1,200 PRICE REALIZED

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